

## CROP WEATHER

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**Agricultural Summary:** Planting and harvest activities are beginning to wind down. Producers averaged 6.1 days suitable for fieldwork, Statewide. Topsoil moisture was rated 6 percent very short, 21 percent short, 72 percent adequate, and 1 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture was rated 11 percent very short, 34 percent short, and 55 percent adequate.

**Field Crop Report:** Ninety-eight percent of the **wheat** has been planted, 2 points ahead of both last year and the 5-year average. Ninety percent of the wheat has emerged, compared to 85 percent last year and 87 percent for the 5-year average. Wheat condition was rated at 2 percent very poor, 5 percent poor, 29 percent fair, 55 percent good, and 9 percent excellent. Ninety-seven percent of the **corn** has been harvested, compared to 92 percent last year but the same as the 5-year average. Ninety-three percent of the **soybeans** have been harvested, compared to 78 percent last year and 87 percent for the 5-year average. Eighty-three percent of the **sorghum** has been harvested, compared to 67 percent last year and 80 percent for the 5-year average. Twenty-five percent of the **cotton** has been harvested, compared to 3 percent last year and 28 percent for the 5-year average. Cotton condition is rated 1 percent poor, 23 percent fair, 62 percent good, and 14 percent excellent. Eighty-seven percent of the **sunflowers** have been harvested, compared to 60 percent last year and 81 percent for the 5-year average.

**Pasture and Range Report:** Feed grain supplies are rated 2 percent very short, 5 percent short, 87 percent adequate, and 6 percent surplus. Hay and forage supplies are rated 1 percent very short, 5 percent short, 84 percent adequate, and 10 percent surplus. Stock water supplies are rated 7 percent very short, 14 percent short, 78 percent adequate, and 1 percent surplus. Some cattle are being moved off grass to crop residue.

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CROP CONDITIONS FOR WEEK ENDING 11/06/05

	Very Poor			Po	or		Fair		Good	i i	Excellent			
Wheat	eat 2				5		29		55		9			
CROP PROGRESS BY AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS DISTRICT AS OF 11/06/05														
								-			LAST	LAST	5-YR	
	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE	WEEK	YEAR	AVG.	
Wht Emerged Corn Harvest	87 91	98 97	97 99	86 93	93 99	92 100	81 98	73 98	69 100	90 97	84 92	85 92	87 97	
Soyb Harvest	97	88	81	98	97	98	95	90	90	93	84	78	87	
Sorg Harvest	83	82	56	88	86	87	94	83	91	83	70	67	80	

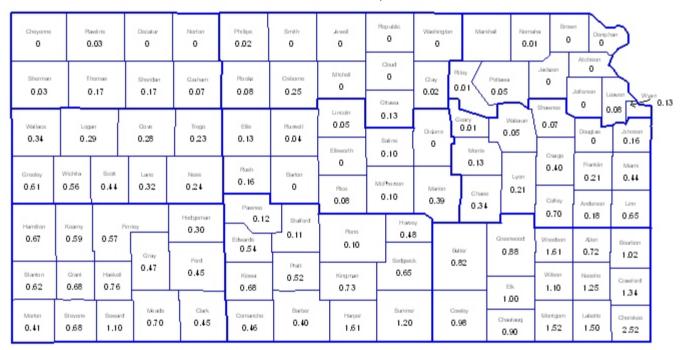
DAYS SUITABLE AND SOIL MOISTURE CONDITIONS FOR WEEK ENDING 11/06/05

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	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE	WEEK	YEA	R
Days Suitable for Fieldwork	6.6	4.7	5.9	6.5	6.9	6.1	6.5	6.5	5.3	6.1	6.0	4.4	
Topsoil Moist	ıre (P	ercer	nt)										
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Very Short	11	3	17	9	13	1	0	0	0	6	3	1	
Short	20	7	26	28	20	33	6	21	22	21	18	15	
Adequate	69	90	57	63	67	65	94	79	72	72	77	73	
Surplus	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	1	2	11	
Subsoil Moist	ıre (P	ercer	nt)										
Very Short	7	8	41	8	21	5	3	0	10	11	9	9	
Short	54	43	24	48	41	31	15	23	22	34	28	30	
Adequate	39	49	35	44	38	63	82	77	68	55	63	57	
Surplus	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	

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Station		Air				Precip			Air		Soil		
Dist  City	Max	Min	Avg	Max	Min		Dist  City	Max	Min	Avg	Max	Min	
NW Colby	80	26	51	62	39	0.01	SC Hesston	84	30	55	68	45	0.38
WC Tribune	76	26	50	55	44	0.00	NE Powhatt	80	28	53	69	49	0.00
SW Grdn Ct	y 79	29	52	61	40	0.52	NE Manhat	80	29	53	68	45	0.00
NC Scandia	79	25	51	61	42	0.00	EC Ottawa	75	30	55	62	45	0.37
C Hays	81	28	52	63	45	0.29	EC Slvr Lk	80	28	54	65	49	0.03
SC Hutch	85	29	55	73	50	0.38	EC Rossvl	79	28	54	65	49	0.10
SC St John	85	28	55	73	49	0.38	SE Parsons	79	31	57	62	49	1.20

Data collected by Automated Stations (above) may differ from official stations (below). Automated stations report through midnight on Sunday. Official reporting station data are through 8:00 a.m. Sunday. The map data are collected by individuals (one or more per county).

## PRECIPITATION FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 6, 2005



Omission of an entry indicates report not received.